

Trinity Parish

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The Giving Tree Returns

BY DONNA SPROWLS

Help us celebrate “Christmas in July.” The Giving Tree returns on behalf of Parish Ministry and Social Ministry to support those in need. We realize that the many needs of our friends, neighbors and some church members continue throughout the year and may be even more intense during the non-holiday times when donations are at a low point. A mid-year contribution can make a big difference to those in need.

We invite concerned members of the congregation to choose one or more ornaments from the tree and provide the designated gift(s) for a needy person or community benevolence partners.

Social Ministry will be rotating their requests among the many ministries they support throughout the year. We are asking for items for the following benevolence ministries:

- ▶Parish Ministry – Church ornaments to purchase gift cards from various local stores to provide gas, groceries, back-to-school supplies and healthcare items for members of our own parish in need.
- ▶CACCC (Churches Affiliated Child Care Centers) - Fruit ornaments to supply cans of fruit for children’s snack time at the centers.
- ▶Delta House – Green house ornaments for an organization helping single parents gain safe housing, plus other support services to help them get further education and a job.
- ▶Camp Curtain Y –Y Symbol ornaments for programs for kids.
- ▶Domestic Violence Services of Cumberland and Perry Counties – Purple Ribbon ornaments to contribute gift cards to help provide services and support and to foster as resources allow social and systems changes through education and advocacy.

Please choose any ornament(s) you wish and return your gift(s) to the church by July 31. You may give gift cards to the receptionist for safe keeping and there will be baskets in the Gathering Space where you can place larger items.

Thanks to all who have donated so generously to the Giving Tree in the past and we look forward to your continued support.

Vicar’s Farewell Reception

Vicar Martha Boyd’s last Sunday at Trinity will be July 13 before she returns to Gettysburg Seminary for her final year of study. Please join in recognizing her service in our parish for the past year at a reception that will be held in Fellowship Hall that day following the late worship services. A staff gift envelope is enclosed with this newsletter for those who wish to make a contribution to a farewell gift for Vicar Martha.

Financial News

Trinity made the final payment on the internal loan for the renovations in Fellowship Hall during the first week of May. Thank you to everyone for your generous contributions to this project. Thanks also to all for your monetary gifts to Trinity’s Capital Campaign. We appreciate everyone’s contributions of time, talent and treasure to Trinity. Your financial generosity and devotion to Trinity and its mission is a great blessing. Thank you.

OUR MISSION

“Disciples in the making, making disciples”

OUR VISION

“Called by the Holy Spirit to be Christ’s Disciples, we seek to equip ourselves and others to live like Christ, and to be sent into the world proclaiming and living the Good News as daily witnesses of God’s transforming love.”

Staff Notes

“Advancing the Mission”

Recently the staff and key lay leaders of Trinity met together to share our ideas, hopes and dreams for Trinity in a brainstorming session as a part of our strategic planning process. We are looking to have concrete ideas developed by late fall for each aspect of our ministry. In particular we are focusing on six ministry areas of our life together; worship, discipleship, outreach, parish life (which includes fellowship and congregation care), organizational infrastructure (including staff, property and finances), and communication. The Strategic Planning Committee will be soliciting additional input from members of the congregation during the summer through focus groups and online surveys.

We explored three key questions that focused on our identity, our context and our purpose. The first question, “Who are we?” is answered by studying our mission, vision and values as a congregation. Trinity has a unique identity. We are called, equipped, and sent for worship, making disciples and service to the world. How do we live into that trinity life?

The second question has us reflect on who we serve in our context for ministry. It asks the question “Who is my neighbor?” Analyzing people who joined our congregation in the last five years we learned;

- ▶ We received 496 members since 2009.

- ▶ 51 percent are female.
- ▶ 38 percent are under age 20.
- ▶ 42 percent are ages 30-50.
- ▶ 68 percent are married.
- ▶ 55 percent came from three zip code areas: 22 percent (17011); 20 percent (17050); 13 percent (17055)
- ▶ 49 percent are from a Lutheran background.
 - 23 percent are former Roman Catholics.
 - 12 percent had no church affiliation.

We further looked at demographic information and maps provided by the ELCA and we were glad to see population growth areas to the west of the church where Trinity has had membership growth recently.

The third question is “What are we called to become?” This is the question that we are discerning now. As we do that, we want to preserve the core; our mission, vision and values yet understand and recognize that we can adapt our programs, culture, methods and goals to become who God is calling us to be.

Everyone will have a part to play in our strategic plan. I encourage you to share your thoughts and ideas with Jennifer Schwalm, Chair of the Strategic Planning Committee or myself and please pray for us as we seek to listen to God’s voice.

Your servant in Christ,
Pastor Horner

Save the Date: Sunday Sept. 7

Rev. David and Mary Kuck are retiring this summer after serving 24 years as missionaries in Jamaica and will visit Trinity on Sept. 7. In a recent letter, the Kucks stated, “Trinity has supported us from the beginning, and we have appreciated our visits and other contacts over the years.” The Missions Team will sponsor a meet and greet at 9:30 a.m. in room 237 and a luncheon at 12:30 p.m. in Fellowship Hall. More details later.

Council Update

From the May 12 meeting:

- ▶ Council appointed Waggoner, Frutiger & Daub, LLP to perform the annual accounting review for Trinity for 2013.
- ▶ Council approved to hold Seminary Sunday in early 2015 to benefit the Lutheran Theological Seminary at Gettysburg.
- ▶ Following the abbreviated council meeting, council members, staff and committee chairs met to brainstorm ideas for the strategic planning process. This session was led by Pastor Horner and Jen Schwalm, chair of the Strategic Planning Committee.

WOT Project Sewing Makes Quilts All Year

The quilt ministry consists of women of Trinity who want to create a warm, comforting quilt for those in need. We meet monthly on the first Tuesday of each month 6 to 9 p.m. and on the third Tuesday of each month 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. in Room 237. This continues during the summer months of June, July and August.

In 2013 we donated 12 quilts to Domestic Violence Services of Cumberland and Perry counties 14 quilts to Lutheran World Relief, and 2 quilts to Camp Nawakwa for their auction fundraiser.

Anyone age 10 or older is welcome to come to our meetings. You do not need to know how to quilt or use sewing machines to join us. We can teach you each step to make a quilt. Give an hour or whatever you can. People come and go as they are able. It is a great way to meet people and fellowship. See you there!

Save the Date:

Women of Trinity Fall General Meeting
Wednesday Sept. 10, 6 p.m.
Fellowship Hall

Letters to Trinity

My family and I are grateful for the many cards, calls, memorial gifts and prayers which have come to us at the time of Barbara's death. To be part of a faith community such as Trinity certainly helps to lighten the grieving load of sorrow we feel. The assurances of the Gospel are strengthened by your care and love. Christ is Risen, He is Risen indeed. Peace and joy in Christ.
Guy Edmiston

Dear Trinity family,

I appreciate receiving the Sunday Service Disk and corresponding bulletin. Sunday morning (although maybe two weeks off by date) I reacquaint names and voices, remember the Order of Service, noticing some changes. I envision sitting in the alto section of the choir and then different pews in the Nave. Thank you.
Shalom, Peggy Hoffmeister

Parish Ministry Corner: Health Tip

BY DONNA SPROWLS

Do I need sunscreen with more than 30 SPF?

Answer: No

Sunscreens with an SPF (sun protection factor) of 30 block about 97 percent of ultraviolet rays, while sunscreens with an SPF of higher than 30 block 97-98 percent. It is more important that you choose "broad-spectrum" sunscreen, which protects against both UVB and UVA rays. Sunbathers also need to apply a generous amount of sunscreen in order to get the full benefit of the SPF.

Thank you to all blood donors!
Trinity's blood bank total is 72 units this year. Any questions, please contact Paul Askey at 676-5554 or email paul.Askey@gmail.com.

Blood Pressure Screening

First Sunday of the Month
Chapel Narthex
9 a.m. - Noon

Stewardship At Home: Time for Reflection and Action

SUBMITTED BY THE STEWARDSHIP TEAM

It's June! We're planning summer vacations, downtime, and getting refreshed before the start of many new Fall projects. The "Trinity Parish" is also taking a summer break, so this is the last Stewardship at Home column until September; still, the Stewardship Committee will be active. We're planning and preparing a fall Stewardship Campaign and Commitment Sunday. But first, let's review our 4G message and offer reflections and actions.

4G: God, Gifts, Gratitude and Grace. Everything we have comes from GOD. He has given each of us GIFTS – possibly some we haven't discovered or used - to earn a living and contribute to society. We show GRATITUDE, thankfulness and appreciation, for all our gifts by sharing, "giving back" or "passing it on". God by his GRACE loves every one of us, no matter what we do with our gifts or how much gratitude we demonstrate.

So what is there to reflect about and act on?

Are you aware of all the Gifts God has given you? Discovered your Gifts? Reflect and act: Enroll in Trinity's "Place" course this fall.

Are you sharing your Gifts with others? Reflect and act: Get involved in one of Trinity's ministries.

Are you showing your Gratitude for all God has provided? Reflect and act: Increase your gifts of time, talent and treasure to Trinity.

Have you completed an *Estimate of Giving* (EOG) defining your financial commitment to Trinity's ministries on a consistent annual basis? Reflect and act: Complete and submit an EOG for the remainder of 2014 – and, remember to submit an EOG for 2015 on Commitment Sunday this fall.

Are you struggling financially? Overwhelmed with debt? Reflect and act: Enroll in Dave Ramsey's Financial Peace University this fall at Trinity. In fact, let the church office know that you want to reserve your spot now.

Have a great summer. Reflect ... and Act.

4Gs: God, Gifts, Gratitude, Grace

Retreat for Women with Judy Collins

"Quiet Waters, Gentle Laughter"
Saturday, Sept. 13

Sign up and registration forms at the Receptionist's Desk in the Gathering Space
Beginning June 15.

For more information, contact Judy Collins.

Retreat for Men with Judy Collins

Men's Day Out
Saturday Oct. 11

PRAYER CONCERNS

“Keep watch over yourselves to all the Holy Spirit has made you overseers, to shepherd the church of God that he obtained with the blood of his own son.”
Acts 20:28

Lord:

- ❖ We pray for Congregation Council, that they may clearly discern God’s will and His direction for Trinity. As they do this, may they grow closer to God and to each other.
- ❖ We pray for Trinity members who are graduating from high school or college that they may continue to grow in wisdom and knowledge and faith in Jesus Christ and that God will bless them as they begin a new chapter in their lives.
- ❖ As we celebrate the Fourth of July: Praise God for the foresight and works of our founders. Praise God for our freedoms, especially our freedom to worship.
- ❖ We pray for Vicar Boyd and her family as she returns to the Lutheran Seminary at Gettysburg to complete her preparation for the ministry of Word and Sacrament.
- ❖ We pray for our Vacation Church School leaders that they may sense the guidance of the Holy Spirit in the planning and teaching of the school and that the students may hear God’s message for them.
- ❖ May we recognize 4G (God, Gifts, Gratitude and Grace) in our lives and grow as disciples in faithfulness to the Gospel and brothers in Christ. “We have different gifts, according to the grace given us.” (Romans 12:6)

“Each one should use whatever gift he has received to serve others, faithfully administering God’s grace in its various forms.”
(1 Peter 4:10)

Congratulations Trinity Graduates!

HIGH SCHOOL

- ▶ Sierra Davis, granddaughter of Myrl Busler, will graduate from Oakdale High School, Frederick, MD. She will attend Potomac State University in the fall.
- ▶ Sarah Hannigan will graduate from Northern York High School. She plans to attend Messiah College and Thomas Jefferson University to major in Occupational Therapy.
- ▶ Courtney Purnell will graduate from East Pennsboro High School. In the fall, she will attend Susquehanna University where she will major in Biology and play field hockey.
- ▶ Megan Renee Scaer will graduate from Cumberland Valley High School on June 7. She will attend HACC in fall 2014 for Healthcare Career.
- ▶ Meredith Schmehl will graduate from Cumberland Valley High School in June. She will attend Carnegie Mellon University to major in Neuroscience and hopes to continue studying neuroscience at the graduate level and to become a research scientist.
- ▶ Katherine (Kate) Shindle will graduate from Mechanicsburg Area Senior High School and plans to major in biology at the University of Pittsburgh.
- ▶ Christine Suhr will graduate from Cumberland Valley High School in June and attend The Pennsylvania State University, Schreyer Honors College in August.

COLLEGE

- ▶ Zachary Barnes, son of Kathy and Allen Holmes, graduated from James Madison University with distinction in instrumental music education as an honors scholar in May. He is currently looking to teach in the Northern Virginia area as a K-12 music teacher starting this fall.
- ▶ Bryce Busler, grandson of Myrl Busler will graduate from Bloomsburg University in June and will start an internship with the State Game Commission.
- ▶ Sarah Fogg, daughter of Michael and Janet Fogg and granddaughter of Dale Mummey and Marjorie Woodward, recently graduated from The Pennsylvania State University with a degree in Art Education.
- ▶ Courtney Halla Roy graduated from New York University (NYU)- Tisch School of the Arts in September 2013, earning her Bachelor of Fine Arts with honors in Theatre. She is currently living in NYC, pursuing a career in acting.

GRADUATE SCHOOL

- ▶ Kelly Cuthbert graduated Magna Cum Laude with a Master’s in Occupational Therapy from West Virginia University School of Medicine. She plans to specialize in Pediatric Rehabilitation.
- ▶ Daniel Evan Miller, son of Ken and Suzanne Miller, recently graduated from Yale University Divinity School with a Master of Divinity Degree. He will be furthering his education at Lutheran School of Theology at Chicago with the goal of Ordination in the ELCA. Beginning in August, he will serve for 12 months as Vicar at the Lutheran Church of the Holy Spirit in Lincolnshire, Illinois. On Aug. 2, he will marry fellow Yale M.Div. graduate Kendra Joyner at Trinity and they will begin life together in Chicago.
- ▶ Kelly Taylor recently graduated from Shippensburg University with a Master’s degree in Education, majoring in Curriculum and Instruction.

YG NEWS

Greetings to all in the name of the Lord. We started off the month of April with our YG SPRING RETREAT at Camp Nawakwa the first weekend. 30 YG and advisors were in attendance for the weekend of faith, fun and fellowship. The focus of this retreat was TRUST and it focused in on the trust we must have in others as well as God. This retreat involved much deep conversation and "trust" activities surrounding the theme. It was an awesome spirit-filled weekend and successful on every level.

The next weekend we had a JR. HIGH NITE. 20 Jr. High YG and a handful of advisors came out for the nite of faith, fun and fellowship. The focus of the nite was on our YG RULE "LISTEN," and we talked about why listening to others is so important in life. Everybody knows how to talk but few really know how to listen. "True" listening actually calls for more effort on your part, it actually calls for "work." You need to be engaged and you need to give the time to be a good listener. The discussion for this nite was awesome and everyone had a great time.

On the 19th we hosted our annual YG EASTER EGG HUNT with some help from the Men of Trinity. 60 little ones came out with their parents for a morning of hunting eggs, prizes, activities, snacks and pictures with our Easter bunny. The morning was successful and the biggest hunt we've ever had.

On the 27th we had SR. HIGH MINI-GOLF at City Island. 10 Senior High YG and handful of advisors came out for this night of fun and fellowship. The weather was beautiful.

We closed down the month on Wednesday the 30th with a COMMUNITY NITE at the Isaac's in the Lemoyne Plaza. Church members, YGers and their families came out in support. We raised over \$250 to go toward our SR. HIGH SERVICE TRIP this summer. Thanks to everyone who came out this year to support our YG fundraisers! It means a lot.

It's an exiting time. We are soon getting all of the final details for our SR. HIGH MISSION TRIP to Tuckerton, NJ this summer. For the mission trip, we will be heading to Tuckerton to help those affected by Hurricane Sandy rebuild. For this trip, we have nine Sr. High YG and two advisors going. We will once again be partnering with the organization Lutheran HANDS.

We are also receiving all of the early registration info and details for the 2015 ELCA NATIONAL YOUTH GATHERING in Detroit. This trip will be awesome, but very expensive (like usual). In these coming months, help us to help others; please support our YG fundraising efforts which will help to pay for a trip of this magnitude!

Yours In Christ,
Peter A. Fox, Youth Ministry Director

World Hunger Sunday: Aug. 3

Please mark your calendars for Sunday, Aug. 3, World Hunger Sunday (or "Bread Sunday"), sponsored by Trinity's Missions Committee to benefit the ELCA World Hunger Appeal. Your donations of quick breads, breads or any kind of baked goods will be greatly appreciated. Please consider baking several small loaves, small packages of cookies, etc., and come prepared to make a generous donation in exchange for one of the items offered. Watch for more details in upcoming issues of *Trinity Today*.

WEEKLY PRAYER LIST

June 6-12

Kenneth, Heidi, Sydney and Justin Stupka; Warren and Lois Stumpf; Warren, Debra, Ashlyn and Logan Stumpf; Jim and Peggy String; Pegge Striewig; Thomas and Debbie Stover; David Stoudt; Bill and Sylvia Stotler; Christopher Stotler.

June 13-19

John Stoner; Laurie, David and James Stockdale; Nancy Stewart; Dan Mari, Sarah and Danica Stewart; London and Aidan Stever; Rick and Cherry Stevens; Rick Stevens, Jr.; Julie Stevens.

June 20-26

Kenneth and Jean Sterner; Ron Stern; Barry, Amanda and Nicholas Stermer; Carol Steffy; Mildred Stauffer; June Stauffer; Bruce and Tina Stauffer; Bill, Bebe, Dillon, Dalton and Saigen Stauffer.

June 27-July 3

Tom, Tammy and Sullivan Stapf; Scott and Margie Stapf; Derek Stank; Bruce, Judy and Devon Stank; Emily Stafford; Anne Stafford; Robert and Donna Sprowls; Kurt Sprowls; Erich Sprowls.

Please visit Trinitycamphill.org for the July and August Weekly Prayer Lists.

Mark Your Calendar: Women's Wednesday Morning Bible Study

Gideon: Your Weakness. God's Strength,
led by Priscilla Shirer

- ▶ Wednesdays, 9:30-11:30 a.m.
- ▶ Nine Sessions from Sept. 17 to Nov. 12
- ▶ Held in Room 237
- ▶ Babysitting will be available

For questions or registration, call Judy Trissler at 795-5919 or Bert Weaver at 697-3259.

"The Lutheran" Adult Forum - Sunday, June 22

Please join us at 9:30 a.m. in Room 237 for a discussion on "Mental Illness: Connecting to God's Love" from pages 16-22 of the May 2014 issue of The Lutheran magazine.

"About one in four adults has a mental illness in any given year," according to the Mayo Clinic, "and about half of U.S. adults will develop a mental illness sometime in their lives." They are our family members, co-workers and friends. Not only those who live with schizophrenia, bipolar disorder, dementia or major depression, they are all of us who cope with less debilitating issues such as phobias, eating disorders, obsessive compulsion, anxiety or panic. Mental illness is part of the human condition that challenges us in our desire to fulfill Christ's command to love one another as ourselves.

If you do not have access to the articles, paper copies will be available about two weeks in advance of the session and may be picked up at the reception desk in the Gathering Space. If you have any questions, please contact class coordinators Craig Staller or Doug Bonsall (921-1957).

Watch the weekly *Trinity Today* bulletin insert throughout the summer for announcements about the topics for discussion at "The Lutheran" adult forum on Sundays July 27 and Aug. 24.

ELCA Vocation Support

The ELCA Vocation Support Committee is pleased to announce that Trinity has continued to support with scholarship loans two of its members in their pursuit of further church vocation education. Robin Fero is pursuing an ordination program at the Lutheran Evangelical Seminary – Gettysburg (LTSG). He is in his second year. Kelly Pennsinger is scheduled to complete her Masters of Divinity Degree program at LTSG this month, May 2014. When you see them in church please congratulate them for their commitment and hard work to achieve ordination.

Church members who are contemplating pursuing a theological educational program are encouraged to discuss their goal with one of Trinity's pastors. The process to apply for scholarship funds can be found on Trinity's website.

Lend a hand for Trinity's **FREE** Summer Sundaes Concerts

Sunday, June 22
Sunday, July 27
Sunday, August 24

Concerts 6:30-7:30 p.m.
outdoors on church grounds

Share the love of Christ with our community:

VOLUNTEER your time
SPONSOR a sundae
INVITE family & friends
ATTEND the concerts

Sign up at the Umbrella Table in the Gathering Space this summer.



Graduating Seniors!

Congratulations to Matins Choir seniors who are graduating this year. "They are the cream of the crop," says Director of Music Tim Koch. "They have been singing with me since the 6th grade and I've seen them bloom and flourish musically and personally. Amy and I wish them well. Now we need replacements! Parents: urge your kids to join the Matins Choir!"

(Pictured: Sarah Hannigan, Evan Brock, Susannah Foos, Kate Shindle, Meredith Schmehl, Christine Suhr, Olivia Hettinger; not pictured: Courtney Purnell)



SUMMER BIRTHDAYS

Our Homebound

- June 18 Dorothy Acri
210 Big Spring Road
Apt. 102
Newville, PA 17241
- June 18 Peggy Hoffmeister
335 Wesley Drive
Apt. 119
Mechanicsburg, PA 17055
- July 3 Eugenie Jefferies
1901 North Fifth St.
Room E 9
Harrisburg, PA 17102
- July 20 Adele Weltmer
4000 Linglestown Road
Room 106-B
Harrisburg, PA 17112
- Aug. 5 Jack Smawley
5225 Wilson Lane
Apt. 1142
Mechanicsburg, PA 17055
- Aug. 13 Jacob Fischer
3604 Franklin Ave.
Mechanicsburg, PA 17050
- Aug. 17 Ralph Kennedy
801 N. Hanover St.
Apt. 237
Carlisle, PA 17013
- Aug. 19 Delores Caron
2 Tanwood Court
Camp Hill, PA 17011
- Aug. 22 William Banks
97 Pleasant Grove Road
Mechanicsburg, PA 17050
- Aug. 25 George Tokuhata
355 S. Sporting Hill Road
Apt. 2046
Mechanicsburg, PA 17050

Our Staff

- June 2 Russell Brown
June 3 Nancy Martin
June 4 Lori McBride
July 15 Tim Koch
Aug. 6 Paul Hensel

A Note from Your Vicar

Greetings, Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Although my last day is not until July 13, I wanted to say goodbye and give thanks this month since there is one summer newsletter. I am grateful:

- ▶ To Pr. Horner, Edmiston, Easton and Brock. Their guidance, leadership, mentoring, and support have been invaluable.
- ▶ To the office and program staff. Their kindness, collegiality, encouragement, instruction and care, made me feel welcome and part of the team.
- ▶ To the church council leaders, committees and chairs, for welcoming me to meetings, sharing “how things work” and for their support.
- ▶ To my Internship committee. Their support, encouragement, guidance, care and time are instrumental in pastoral formation.
- ▶ To the congregation. I have appreciated your feedback on sermons and worship leadership, your welcoming spirit, your prayers, your support of the Internship program and me.
- ▶ To those who helped with my Internship Project – the Memory Café. Your time, your care and support helped to make this a meaningful outreach.

What’s next you might be asking? Well, I have one more year of education at the Lutheran Theological Seminary in Gettysburg and anticipate graduating next May. I’ll be interviewing with the Candidacy Committee sometime this fall for approval.

I am most grateful to have been placed for Internship at Trinity; my experiences here have further shaped me for leadership in the church. I pray for continued blessings upon your many ministries in this place; may you be strengthened and sustained in the love of Jesus Christ, leading lives of fruitful service to the glory of God.

Blessings, Vicar Martha

School Kits for Harrisburg Schools

This year, Women of Trinity will again be collecting school kit supplies for Harrisburg City Schools where our Trinity Tutors visit weekly during the school year. The following items are needed for each school kit and should be new and in good condition.

- ▶ No. 2 pencils
- ▶ Pencil tip erasers
- ▶ Small pack of crayons
- ▶ Small pack of markers
- ▶ Plastic pencil box
- ▶ Individual containers of hand sanitizer
- ▶ Individual packs of tissues
- ▶ Composition books for journaling

All items may be placed in the Collection Closet in the Gathering Space in the box labeled *Women of Trinity School Supplies*.

A Celebration of Gifts

Peter Fox, Amy Koch and Tim Koch were each recognized for 15 years of service at Trinity on Sunday, April 27. Bert Weaver introduced the program and shared how their individual gifts and talents have shaped worship services and worshippers.

Peter Fox, Director of Youth Ministries, has grown the youth program from a part time role with a small youth group to a full time position with an active and vibrant youth ministry. Allie Roberts shared stories of Peter supporting young people with developing faith and bringing fun to the journey to adulthood.

Amy Koch, Children’s Choir Director, has served Trinity in many ways, leading Children’s choirs, teaching in the preschool, sharing faith lessons in Sunday School, and coordinating Vacation Bible School. Debbie Wilson spoke of the many lives touched by Amy’s faithful, warm and loving service to children of the congregation.

Tim Koch, Director of Music Ministries, has directed music in the traditional services, led the Senior and Matins Choirs and the bell choirs, and has organized the annual Concert Series. Maggie Devorick illustrated Tim’s ability to bring out the best in musicians and his use of music to complement worship at Trinity.

Peter, Amy and Tim have used their gifts to bring many hands, many children and many voices together in worship and praise at Trinity in different and significant ways. Trinity celebrates their years of service and their individual roles in building our church family. We give thanks for the gifts from God that we have in Peter, Amy and Tim.

Mark Your Calendar for a Fellowship Theatre Outing

The Fellowship Team is organizing a group to see *Crazy for You* at the Dutch Apple Dinner Theatre, Lancaster, on Saturday evening, Oct. 25. The dinner starts at 6 p.m. and the performance at 7:30 p.m. The show, a recent high-energy Broadway musical comedy, features classic Gershwin favorites such as “I Got Rhythm,” “They Can’t Take That Away from Me,” and “Someone to Watch over Me.” In addition to wonderful music, the hilarious plot includes many unexpected twists, mistaken identities, fabulous costumes and dances—all adding up to an enjoyable evening of fun and fellowship for Trinity members and their friends.

For more information and reservations, contact Connie and Dallas Dollase (761-3699 or cdollase@aol.com). Arrangements will be made for car pooling and for those who need transportation. The Dutch Apple group price is \$49 per person for dinner and show. Thursday, Sept. 25 is the last day to make reservations.



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Trinity Parish Deadline

The deadline for the September 2014 edition of *Trinity Parish* is **Sunday, Aug. 10-- no exceptions**. If emailing articles, please send to: parish@trinitycamphill.org. Please keep all articles to 300 words or fewer. Articles may also be dropped off in the *Trinity Parish* mailbox in the church office.